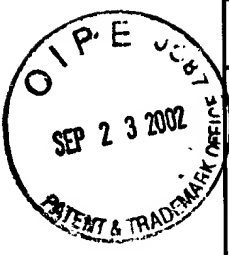


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 2183-4231US
In re Application of Vogels et al.		
Application Number 09/444,284	Filed November 19, 1999	
For GENE DELIVERY VECTORS PROVIDED WITH A TISSUE TROPISM FOR SMOOTH MUSCLE CELLS, AND/OR ENDOTHELIAL CELLS		
Group Art Unit 1632	Examiner S. Chen, Ph.D.	

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$110
 - ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$
 - ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$
 - ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$
 - ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$
 - ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 55.
 - ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
 - ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
 - ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 20-1469.
- I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

September 23, 2002

Date

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Allen C. Turner Reg. No. 33,041

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.

☒ *Total of 2 forms are submitted.

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